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THE SUPREME COURT
OF ONTARIO.

OSGOODE HALL,
TORONTO.

April 25th 1917

R. A. Falconer Esq LL.D.
President
University of Toronto

Dear Mr President:

Because I am to be out of the City to-morrow afternoon, and so unable to attend the Board meeting I am returning to you herewith the copy of resolution and other papers in regard to proposed Military instruction at the University.

What occurred to me when in conversation with you some days ago was that the introduction of Military instruction would probably be open to some unfavorable comment as savouring

of the militarism which professors in some German Universities are credited with having promoted. The use of the words "by reason of the present conditions" indicate that the movement is aimed at meeting present war conditions and should be an answer to any such objection, if it is intended that the Department is established not as a permanent one, or necessarily extending beyond the time that conditions now existing make it advisable

I am

Yours very truly

H. F. Kelly